

# November

# Good Times

# December

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## What are you thankful for?

Tell us about the good things in your life. We'll display the "Thankful Turkeys" in the Children's Library.



Remember: In-n-Out Burger "Cover to Cover" ends on November 20! Read 5 books and earn a certificate for a free hamburger or cheeseburger!



## Attention Middle Schoolers! Bookworm Challenge

Do you think that you know a lot of words? Show your stuff at our Bookworm Tournament.

Monday, Nov. 22, 3 pm  
(for 7th graders)

Tuesday, Nov. 23, 3 pm  
(for 8th graders)

Wednesday, Nov. 24, 3 pm  
(the Championship)

Sign-ups required  
Leichtag Family Foundation  
Computer Lab

## Holiday Happenings @ the Library

### Holiday Trim-a-Tree

Help decorate the Christmas trees—both ours & yours. Create your own make-n-take ornaments.

Tuesday, Dec. 7, 3:30 pm  
Grades K and up Sign-ups required  
Gowland Meeting Room

### Happy Hanukkah

A holiday celebration of songs & stories for school age children.

Thursday, Dec. 2, 3:30 pm  
Sign-ups required

### A Visit with Santa

The jolly man returns to the Library for a holiday chat & photo op. **Remember your cameras! Library is unable to provide Santa photos this year.**

Friday, Dec. 10,  
10:30 am

All ages Gowland Meeting Room



## Family Storytime presents "Trickster Stories"

Wednesday, Nov. 10, 6:30 pm

Magical, multicultural stories of characters who try to trick others and often end up getting tricked themselves! Includes a craft. For families with children in kindergarten and up. Sign-ups required.  
Gowland Meeting Room

## Cyber Safety

Monday, Nov. 29 at 7 pm

Internet and cell phone safety for 4th, 5th, 6th grade students and their parents.

Gowland Meeting Room

Sign-ups required



## Make & Take Craft

Tuesday, Nov. 16  
at 3:30 pm

Get crafty with a creative project!  
Grades K-3 Sign-ups required  
Gowland Meeting Room



## Kitchen Chemistry

Saturday, Nov. 20, 2 pm

School Age Kids with Parents @ the Children's Library

## Science Saturdays

### 'Thar be Whales'

Saturday, Dec. 18, 2 pm





# November



Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
	1 Sign-ups begin for all November programs	2	3 Book Babies AM & PM Step-up to Storytime All Star Readers	4 Preschool Storytime	5 Storytime Theater <i>The Order of the Phoenix</i> <b>Harry Potter</b> 6 pm Sign-ups required	6 Saturday Stories
Daylight 7 Savings Time Ends 	8	9 	10 Book Babies AM & PM Step-up to Storytime All Star Readers <b>Trickster Stories Family Storytime</b> 6:30 pm Details on cover	11 Library is closed for Veterans' Day 	12 Storytime Theater <i>The Half Blood Prince</i> <b>Harry Potter</b> 6 pm Sign-ups required	13 Saturday Stories
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21 	22 <b>Bookworm 7<sup>th</sup> Grade Challenge</b> 3 pm Details on cover	23 <b>Bookworm 8<sup>th</sup> Grade Challenge</b> 3 pm Details on cover	24 Book Babies AM & PM Step-up to Storytime <b>Bookworm Battle of the Champions</b> 3 pm Details on cover	25 Carlsbad Library is closed Thursday & Friday for the Thanksgiving holiday	26 	27
28	29 <b>Cyber Safety</b> 7 pm 4th, 5th & 6th grade students & their parents. Details on cover 	30	Science Saturday <b>'Thar be Whales' @ the Library!</b> Saturday, Dec. 18 at 2 pm How big are they? What do they eat? Where can we see them? How do we draw them? Join the Science Saturday Team as we get ready for whale watching season! Explore the world of sea mammals: whales, sea otters, manatees & more! 			





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Sunday

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Would you like to receive the Library's  
**e-newsletter**  
to get all of the latest news delivered to  
your inbox? Visit [www.carlsbadlibrary.org](http://www.carlsbadlibrary.org)  
and click on "Sign up for our e-mail  
newsletter" under Library news.

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Book Babies  
AM & PM  
Step-up to Storytime  
All Star Readers

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Preschool  
Storytime  
**Hanukkah**  
Songs & Stories 3:30 pm  
School age & family  
Details on front

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Storytime  
Theater

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Saturday  
Stories

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1<sup>st</sup> Edition Word  
Session 1 of 2  
Details on back

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**Trim-a-Tree  
Craft 3:30 pm**  
Grades K+  
Gowland Meeting Room



PowerPoint for Kids  
Session 1 of 3

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Book Babies AM & PM  
Step-up to Storytime  
All Star Readers

1<sup>st</sup> Edition Word  
Session 2 of 2

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Preschool  
Storytime

Remember  
your cameras!

A Visit with  
**Santa** 10:30 am  
All ages  
Gowland  
Meeting  
Room

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Saturday  
Stories

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**Homework Zone**  
on break  
until Jan 2011

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PowerPoint  
for Kids  
Session 2 of 3

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15  
Book Babies  
AM & PM  
Step-up to Storytime  
All Star Readers

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Preschool  
Storytime

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Saturday  
Stories

Science Saturday  
**'Thar be Whales!'**  
@ the Library  
2 pm  
Details on back

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Library is CLOSED for  
the **CHRISTMAS  
HOLIDAY**

Regular Children's programs will return in January 2011

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*The Children's staff wishes you & your  
family a healthy & festive holiday season!*

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Library is CLOSED for  
the **NEW YEAR'S  
HOLIDAY**



# Dove Library Ongoing Children's Programs

## MONDAY



### ▼ IN THE LAB ▼

#### 1st Edition Word

Learn Microsoft Word from the beginning in a two-session (Monday & Wednesday) computer workshop. *Sign-ups required; must have a valid Carlsbad Library card with Internet permission on file.*

**3:30-4:30 pm**  
Grades 3-5  
Leichtag Children's Computer Lab

## TUESDAY

### ▼ IN THE LAB ▼



#### Research Rangers

Maximize your library experience! Learn how to best access and evaluate information and resources in three 90-minute sessions. *Sign-ups required; must have a valid Carlsbad Library card with Internet permission on file.*

**3:30-5 pm**  
Grades 3-5  
Leichtag Children's Computer Lab



#### PowerPoint for Kids

Three 90-minute sessions for beginners—using media from books and other sources, learn to create PowerPoint presentations in a 3-week session. *Sign-ups required; must have a valid Carlsbad Library card with Internet permission on file.*

**3:30-5 pm**  
Grades 3-5  
Leichtag Children's Computer Lab

## WEDNESDAY

#### Book Babies

(morning & afternoon)  
A one-on-one (1 baby to 1 adult) LAPSIT program of bonding, sharing stories, songs & fingerplays for our pre-walkers. *Please arrive early & check in at Children's Desk. Space is limited to the first 12 child/caregiver pairs. Sorry, no late seating.*

**10am & 1:30pm**  
Family Focus Center

#### Step-up to Storytime

30 minutes of stories, songs & fingerplays for toddlers.

**10:30 am**  
Children's Storywell

#### All Star Readers

A weekly after-school reading club introducing all types of books.

**4pm Grades 1-3**  
Family Focus Center



### ▼ IN THE LAB ▼

#### 1st Edition Word

Grades 3-5  
See Monday details

## THURSDAY

#### Preschool Storytime

30 minutes of stories, songs & fingerplays.

**10 am**  
Ages 3-5 yrs.  
Children's Storywell



## FRIDAY

#### Storytime Theater

Stories, songs, and a puppet show with occasional special guests! *Space is limited; arrive 15 minutes early to get a ticket. Sorry, no late seating.*

**10 am 2 yrs.**  
**11 am 3-5 yrs.**  
Gowland Meeting Room



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Please check  
inside for  
program dates.

## SATURDAY

#### Saturday Stories

Story reading hosted by Library volunteers.

**11 am All ages**  
Children's Storywell

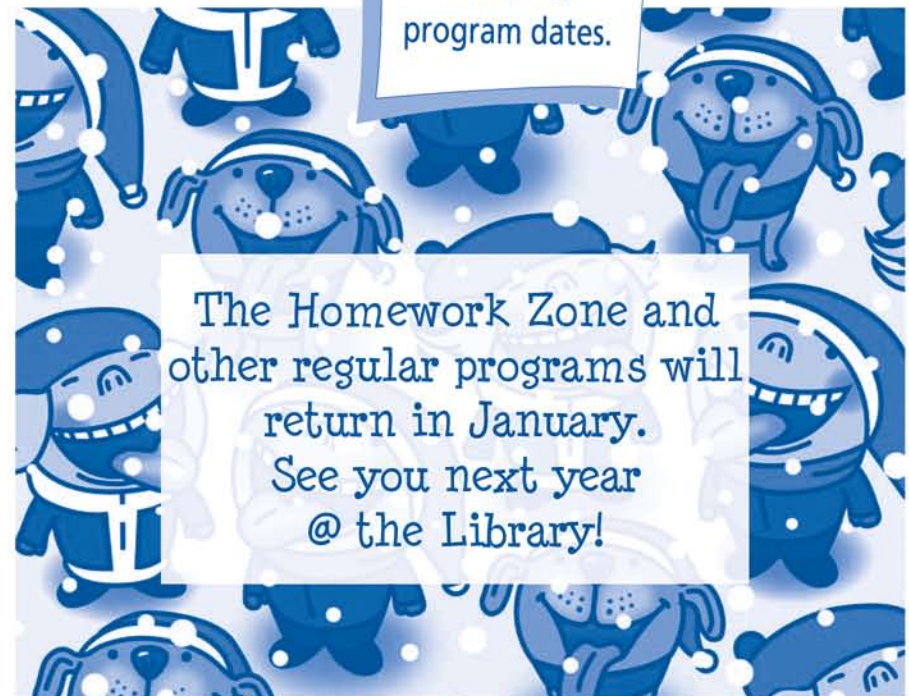
#### Science Saturday

A monthly exploration of an entertaining and enlightening scientific topic. A great opportunity for Dads (and Moms) and kids!

**2 pm Ages 5+**  
Children's Library



Reminder: Bring  
your library card  
with you for all  
computer classes.



The Homework Zone and  
other regular programs will  
return in January.  
See you next year  
@ the Library!